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In re Application of:

BORGEN, et al.

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Title: DOUBLE DISCONNECT ASSEMBLY

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RESPONSE TO WRITTEN RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed August 12, 2002 in the referenced application, applicant elects Group I, directed to the invention set forth in claims 1-18. Applicant further elects Species A, drawn to Figures 1-4. Applicant submits that claims 1-6 and 10-18 are generic to both species A and B and claims 1-8 and 10-18 are readable on the elected species.

REMARKS

Please note that applicant reserves the right to file a divisional application directed to the non-elected embodiments of the instant invention at any time during the pendency of the present application.

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